

SOLENT UNIVERSITY

SOUTHAMPTON

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Solent students learn from practising professionals, hear from leading experts, get hands-on experience and develop fantastic industry connections. Their stories start with us — and that can take them anywhere.

Don't just take our word for it – take a look at some recent success stories from Solent alumni; who knows, one day you too could be sharing yours here.









Adam Lewis, BSc (Hons) Merchant Ship Operations, 2005 Head of Training and Operations for International Maritime Employers' Council

DID YOU KNOW?
Solent University has saved roughly 240 trees by printing this miniguide in place of a full prospectus.







Nisha Haq, BA (Hons)
Photography, 2014
IPSE UK's Young
Freelancer of the Year
2017, shortlisted in
UK Wedding Awards
Best Photographer
category (2018)











Kelly Simm, BSc (Hons) Applied Sport Science, 2019 Great Britain Artistic Gymnast















Our city-centre campus gives students access to all the benefits of the south coast's biggest city – whether that's shopping, culture, diversity, sport or career opportunities.

And we do everything we can to improve those opportunities. Strong ties throughout the city – in art, in sport, in government, in business – mean our students have all the chances they could ever need to get professional experience in their industry.

Plus there's a variety of ways to make a difference in the local community – from volunteering at Southampton Pride to raising funds through the ABP Southampton Marathon.

We also play an active role in key city celebrations and festivals, working with community partners every year to host cultural exhibitions, public speakers and sporting events.

Take Solent Gallery, for example. This dedicated gallery brings modern and innovative art to the centre of Southampton – free for anyone to appreciate. But it also brings opportunity, providing residencies and exhibition space each year for the most promising students.

Or take the coaching innovation programme, where students design and carry out a range of community health and fitness programmes.

Or Solent Creatives, connecting student freelancers with the businesses that need their skills.

Or Re:So, our award-winning student-run retail outlet in the local Marlands shopping centre. You get the picture.



Food and drink



Oxford Street. Guildhall Square. Bedford Place. Bevois Valley. Ocean Village... If you're looking for cafes, restaurants, pubs and bars, there are little clusters of nightlife scattered around the city – plus Westquay's huge new complex, packed full of international dining options.







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Shopping



One of the biggest shopping centres in the country, with around 150 big high street names. Plus the Marlands Centre just up the road, and unique boutiques scattered all around the city.









бф Music



Southampton's thriving local music scene includes small and indie venues like the legendary Joiners, as well as megaclub Oceana – and everything in between.











Sport



Premier League football. County and international cricket. Climbing and bouldering not far from campus. Plus watersports on the Solent, made world-famous for sailing during the 2012 Olympics.





Culture



The south coast's biggest theatre, with all the big West End tours. Three cinemas, from arthouse to high-end. City-centre theatres and art galleries – including Solent's own art gallery.













Transport links



Southampton is perfect for exploring the UK, with flights all over from Southampton Airport, and fast rail and road links to London and beyond.









Our campus is surrounded by just a few of the city's many parks. Southampton Common has 365 acres of managed woodland and open space. Plus the New Forest National Park is just east of the city, a perfect playground for runners, walkers, cyclists and anyone looking for a breath of fresh air.









Our vibrant city-centre campus gives you easy access to Southampton's shops, culture, diversity and sport. Plus our new on-campus sports centre is perfect for a quick gym session between lectures.







CUTTING-EDGE CAMPUS

Over the last few years we have made a £100m investment in our campus, introducing state-of-the-art facilities to enhance your learning.



Solent is working towards a **33% carbon reduction** target by implementing a wide range of energy efficiency projects across our campuses.

THE SPARK BUILDING

Our award-winning teaching and learning building, the Spark, is a centrepiece of our campus – and everything about it is centred around you and your learning. Our lecture theatres include at-seat charging sockets for laptops and tablets, while the latest lecture-capture technology uploads to our virtual learning environment, so you can really focus on learning, not note-taking.

The Spark is a BREEAM 'excellent' rated building for its sustainability credentials.

Virtual tour

Take a virtual tour of our facilities; visit www.solent.ac.uk/virtual-tour

STATE-OF-THE-ART SPORTS COMPLEX

Featuring two sports halls, two fitness studios, a health and fitness gym, a strength and conditioning gym and high-quality teaching facilities.

For more information, visit page 12.



DIGITAL CINEMA WITH DOLBY ATMOS AUDIO

Our student-run cinema makes us one of iust a handful of universities worldwide with Dolby Atmos encoding capabilities.



A FULLY EQUIPPED OUTSIDE **BROADCAST VEHICLE**

Used by Solent students to broadcast live from events such as the Glastonbury Festival, and package up footage for international broadcasters like the BBC.



£43 MILLION INVESTED IN OUR MARITIME TECHNOLOGY AND CAMPUSES

Together with brand-new high-tech campuses for deck and engineering education - and one of the world's leading manned model ship-handling centres – our unrivalled new simulator centre ensures we continue to deliver the very highest standards of professional ship and port training.



A 60-METRE HYDRODYNAMIC TESTING TANK

Provides professional testing facilities for watercraft design. Students also have access to our temperature-controlled composite materials lab, 3D scanning and printing facilities, and a dedicated design suite.



A MUITI-FUNCTION PERFORMANCE SPACE AND HD TV STUDIO

One of the biggest HD studios in the south of England. Plus two fully equipped HD TV studios, eight radio studios and ten audio recording studios; photography, animation and green-screen studios; and a professionalgrade newsroom.



BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE LABORATORY

Our biomedical science laboratory is purpose-built to support teaching and research in biomedical science and nutrition. Space includes two teaching laboratories. one tissue culture laboratory and one preparation and instrumentation room.



BESPOKE NURSING LAB

Built to a bespoke design following consultation with industry, our six-bed simulated nursing ward reflects acute patient care in a clinical environment, enabling student nurses to practise their skills without any risk to patients. State-of-the-art equipment includes a high fidelity Nursing Anne simulator – capable of verbal noises, breathing, blinking, and palpate pulses.



f1 MILLION MUSIC

Recently updated, the technology in our recording studios is professional standard throughout. The primary studio features an industry-leading 24-fader, six-knob Avid S6 M40 control surface: all nine studios run on Pro Tools HD and Logic Pro X software, complemented with quality microphone pre-amps and hardware compressors, EQs and a suite of plug-ins from Sonnox, McDSP, Avid and Melodyne.



SPECIALIST PHOTOGRAPHY STUDIO

Our campus is also home to a specialist infinity cove – a photography studio specifically designed to give the impression that the background of an object extends to infinity.



£1.3 MILLION HI-TECH SPORT SCIENCE LABORATORIES

Including purpose-built labs for biomechanics, nutrition and psychology, and a BASES-accredited physiology lab, plus all the tools you need to monitor your subjects: data collection software, motion capture, eye-tracking, reaction timers, force transducers and more.



A WELL-STOCKED LIBRARY WITH FIEXIBLE OPENING HOURS

Our well-stocked library is open 24 hours a day during term-time, and features a huge range of books, journals and other materials in both print and electronic format – as well as over 800 study places, including group and individual study rooms and silent study areas.



SPORT ATSOLENT

SOLENT SPORTS COMPLEX

Opened in 2019, our state-of-the-art £28m sport complex offers sport and physical activity facilities for all students and staff at Solent – and superb teaching spaces for sports-focused students.

Facilities include:

- Two sports halls.
- · Two fitness studios.
- · General purpose gym.
- · High-performance gym.
- · Health and fitness gym.
- Sport and exercise therapy clinical space.

TEST PARK

A short drive from main campus is our Test Park Sports Ground, home to a floodlit football stadium, a full-size, all-weather 3G sports pitch and half a dozen other pitches for five-a-side, rugby and more.

National accreditations such as TASS. Dual Career **UKAD** and **UK Athletics**



PERFORMANCE SPORT

Our performance sport programme supports talented athletes through university. The programme is moulded around your sporting talent and academic potential, with an expert team on hand to help you balance your university career with competing on the national or international stage.

Our High Performance Academy (HPA) athletes compete in sports including gymnastics, athletics, football, cricket and basketball. The HPA supports:

- Up to 30 national- and international-level student athletes.
- TASS Hub support for a number of junior and senior athletes across the region.

To find out more, visit www.solent.ac.uk/HPA











WHY SOLENT?

Our Warsash School of Maritime Science and Engineering is the world's premier maritime education and training provider, recognised around the world for providing firstclass training and education to the international maritime, superyacht and shipping industries.

Throughout your studies you will have access to highly experienced maritime professionals and the latest state-of-the-art facilities - a dedicated maritime campus. modern engineering workshops, and one of the world's leading maritime simulation centres.

BECOMING AN OFFICER CADET

At the end of this fully sponsored three-year programme you'll receive a foundation degree or HND in either navigation or engineering disciplines – with the opportunity to top up your academic qualification to an honours degree. And thanks to regular sea time throughout your cadetship, you'll have plenty of practical maritime experience to help boost your career.

FIND OUT MORE

For information on how to find a sponsor and apply for a deck, engineering or electro-technical officer cadetship. visit www.solent.ac.uk/how-to-apply-cadetship



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Giorgia Pizzimenti

BA (Hons) Fashion Journalism student

"I lived in Kimber in my first year of university, which is in a lovely location. There was always someone to chat to in the common room or kitchen - we were all from different countries. so it was nice to find out about 228 rooms/Ensuite other cultures."



Sminute walk to campus

274 rooms Ensuite KIMBER

> Up to 100 Mb WiFi access in each study-bedroom

WHAT'S INCLUDED IN YOUR RENT?

DAVID MOXON 117 rooms | En-suite 8-minute walk to campus

Personal contents insurance

Social rooms with table tennis and pool tables

All utility bills

Cleaning of communal areas

Repairs and maintenance

Residence management team available 24 hours a day

> Adapted and accessible rooms for students with disabilities

Private housing

Virtual tour

virtual-tour

Take a closer look at ou modern student residences

visit www.solent.ac.uk/

Do you want a bit more independence? Southampton offers many private housing options - for details, visit www.solent.ac.uk/ accommodation or contact our dedicated housing advisor on accommodation@solent.ac.uk SEE FOR YOURSELF

Nothing we can say here will do Solent and Southampton justice. We love our city, and we'd love you to see it for yourself.

That's what our open days offer.
A chance to explore Southampton,
discover its surprises and see for
yourself what Solent can do for you.

Take a look. Talk to students and staff. Try Solent on for size:

General open days

Saturday 6 June 2020 Saturday 26 September 2020 Saturday 17 October 2020 Saturday 7 November 2020 Saturday 21 November 2020

Careers in maritime open days Saturday 13 June 2020

Saturday 13 June 2020 Saturday 10 October 2020

www.solent.ac.uk/open-days











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Hollie Ward BA (Hons) English, 2017, Marketing and Communications Assistant, Radian

"I actually got lost on the way to my Solent open day. I had decided to come along at the last minute, so hadn't had time to look up how to get to campus. But I bumped into some students who were waiting in the park, ready to help visitors find their way. Every student I met was happy to help and so enthusiastic about studying here.

It's so important to meet who is going to be teaching you for the next three years; when I met my course leader she was like a mixture of every teacher who had ever made me want to study an English degree. Her zeal for the subject put Solent at the top of my list.

For my parents, who had never been to a university, a lot of the information at the open day didn't mean much. But Solent made it clear that everything on the course was helping us become more employable, ensuring that we would graduate as competent writers and presenters, ready to pursue our dreams. They suddenly realised that studying a degree could set me up for the working world and provide me with a multitude of opportunities."

KNOWLEDGE. SKILLS. CONNECTIONS.

HOW OUR STUDENTS LEARN

You need more than knowledge if you're going to succeed – you need connections, confidence, practical skills and professional experience.

And that's exactly what we set out to give you.

But we don't stop there. By incorporating the latest research into our teaching, and working closely with businesses across every sector, we're ensuring you have the chance to become exactly what employers are looking for — a highly skilled, highly motivated graduate who is ready to jump straight in.

Because it's not enough to simply know a subject – things move too fast for that. We want you to understand your subject from the inside: evaluating your own knowledge, exploring different perspectives and the latest research, and having the skills and practical understanding to keep up with rapidly changing industries.







Rated silver in the Teaching Excellence Framework (TEF).



Shortlisted for *Times Higher Education* University of the Year, 2019.



Four-star rated overall, with five stars for employability, facilities, inclusiveness, internationalisation and teaching. QS World University Rankings, 2019



Home to world-leading research in communication, cultural and media studies, and art and design.



Sixth in the sector for graduate start-ups – our third consecutive year in the top ten.

Higher Education Business and Community
Interaction (HE-BCI) survey, 2017/18



One of the world's leading maritime training academies.



As an undergraduate student, you'll have two main types of expenses tuition fees and your living costs. Some courses also have additional or optional costs - for field visits or equipment, for example and you can find details of these on our course pages.

TUITION FFFS

For the latest information on fees, visit www.solent.ac.uk/fees

UK and EU students don't need to pay tuition fees up-front – you can apply for a loan to cover these.

Eligible students from England and the EU can apply for a loan to cover tuition fees. If you are from England, this loan doesn't depend on your household income and is paid direct to the University on your behalf. You only need to start paying this loan back when you are earning more than £25,000.

MAINTENANCE LOANS

If you are a full-time student from England, you can also apply for a loan to support you while you study, paid into your bank account in three instalments at the beginning of each academic term.

The amount available depends on:

- · Where you live while studying.
- Your assessed ('means-tested') family income.
- · Your entitlement to state benefits.

Other benefits are available – see www.solent.ac.uk/dependants or contact Student Finance England.

If you are from Wales, Scotland or Northern Ireland and want to study in England, you will need to contact your own government to find out what support is available to cover tuition fees or living costs. Channel Islands and Isle of Man students are not eligible for funding from the UK government.

Details of fees for non-EU students can be found at www.solent.ac.uk/international

BURSARIES AND SCHOLARSHIPS

If your household income is under £25,000, you can also apply for various bursaries and scholarships which don't have to be repaid. Examples include the Solent University bursary, academic merit scholarships and the Lisa Wilson Scholarship.

Visit www.solent.ac.uk/scholarships for more information and a complete list.



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Emma Westmore
BSc (Hons) Psychology (Child
Development and Education),
2019. Lisa Wilson scholar

"The Lisa Wilson Scholarship has gone towards my travel costs between the Isle of Wight and Southampton. This allows me to live at home and have support from my family, as well as going to university to study my course."



Unsure what to do with your future?
Confused about the university application process? Follow our 52 Things To Do guide, designed to help you every step of the way.

From thinking about the degree that's right for you to writing a personal statement, we've got it all covered — with handy advice and tasks designed to take no more than an hour each week.

Visit www.solent.ac.uk/52-things



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HOW TO APPLY

Applying to university can be a daunting process – check out the diagram below which gives you the key dates to be aware of when making your application.







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ARCHITECTURE AND CONSTRUCTION

Step up and shape the world around you with our industry-focused and accredited courses in architectural design and technology, interior design and construction.



- Various accreditations by the Chartered Institute of Building, the Chartered Association of Building Engineers, the Chartered Institute of Architectural Technologists and the Society of British and International Design.
- A fully equipped architecture and interior design studio, with plotters, laser-cutters, 3D printer and digital cameras.
- Dedicated CAD stations and the latest software, including AutoCAD, Revit, Vector Works, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator and Google SketchUp Pro.
- The course team maintains excellent links with industry, enabling opportunities for live briefs, guest lectures and site visits.
- The opportunity to become a BREEAMaccredited graduate.
- Showcase your final major project at an end-of-year showcase attended by industry professionals, staff and students from the University.









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Alex Naraian

Solent alumnus, former President of the Chartered Institute of Architectural Technologists

"It has been an absolute privilege to come back and see the students' work. The standard is phenomenal and it's great to see so much vision and creativity coming through."

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Emily Jayne

HNC Quantity Surveying (part-time) Dyer & Butler

"The construction industry is fascinating, and you get to work with some great people. There's no doubt that the construction industry is male-dominated, but it's definitely not something to be apprehensive about and any assumptions should be left at the door. The industry needs more women and I can't recommend it enough."









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Course	UCAS tariff	Variants available*	Course page and UCAS code
BA (Hons) Architectural Design and Technology	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/ADT1
BA (Hons) Architectural Design and Visualisation	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/AD01
BSc (Hons) Construction Management	96	F	www.solent.ac.uk/CM01
BA (Hons) Interior Design	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/ID01



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Nichole Tumbaga

BA (Hons) Architectural Design and Technology, 2019, Architectural Technologist, BrightSpace Architects

"During my time at Solent I was able to work in different groups of classmates, and really enjoyed the fact we were all different ages, races, religions, cultures and experiences. All of the lecturers are extremely friendly, and have a deep passion for sharing their knowledge — they support each student to achieve their best academic performance, and help to create a career development plan with CVs and portfolios.

University is not just about studying and surviving the exams, but about learning with fun, connecting with people coming from all over the world and achieving your own personal growth and development.

Success is achieved step-bystep, so do the best that you can and work hard, as the rewarding and satisfying day of graduation is closer than you might think."



ART AND DESIGN

From photography to fine art, the creative industries are highly visible, culturally significant and one of the largest contributors to the UK economy.





£1.4 million invested in a dedicated art and design school.



Strong connections with the local creative scene through our academics and our public city-centre art gallery.



Excellent facilities, from traditional silkscreens and letterpresses through to digital and rapid prototyping technologies.



A creative environment which gives you the freedom to explore your craft, try new ideas and techniques, and collaborate across disciplines.



Identified as a beacon of good practice in a report by the RSA on creativity in higher education institutions.





Josh Steel

"Being part of a small course put me in the best position as it allowed for more individual attention; I really enjoyed getting to know the course leaders and lecturers and being able to create a real relationship with them that sparked my passion and interest in product design.

The course is coursework-based which can be challenging, but it really set me up for my current role, working to real deadlines. My role at Elumin8 as design engineer and research and development covers a wide range of tasks, from designing lighting solutions from paper to CAD, through to manufacturing initial and even first of production prototype parts for presentation and car fit purposes. Most recently I have been involved in a project for Aston Martin."











	Course	UCAS tariff	Variants available*	Course page and UCAS code
	BA (Hons) Body Art	96-112	-	www.solent.ac.uk/BA01
	BA (Hons) Fine Art	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/FA01
	BA (Hons) Graphic Design	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/GD01
	BA (Hons) Illustration	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/IL01
	BA (Hons) Interior Design Decoration	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/IDD1
	BA (Hons) Photography	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/PH01
	BA (Hons) Product Design	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/PD01
	BA (Hons) Prosthetics and Special Effects Design	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/PSE1
	BA (Hons) Visual Communication (Accelerated)	96-112	-	www.solent.ac.uk/VC15



Joe Pilbeam

BA (Hons) Graphic Design, 2004, owner of Filthy

"A friend and I set up the design company Filthy in September 2004, four months after graduation. Having moved to Brighton, we managed to pick up some small design jobs for clubs and bars. Through the clubs, we started getting work for local DJs and record labels. This led to us working for some of the major record labels and getting design jobs in London and overseas.

We've been lucky enough to work on a huge variety of projects in different sectors, and it has happened very organically – albeit with lots of late nights/ weekends in the studio!
University helped prepare me for my career as I was lucky enough to work on a live project for my final major project. It gave me the confidence and naivety to start a design studio straight out of university."

^{*} F – Foundation year (p98)





- Sixth in the sector for the number of graduate start-ups – our third consecutive year in the top ten (HE-BCI survey, 2017/18).
- Chance to learn from industry professionals through guest lectures, real-world projects and mentoring programmes.
- Advice and support in setting up your own business from our enterprise and entrepreneurial experts.
- Gold-standard approved learning partner of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA).
- Opportunities to study for PRINCE2 project management and other professional courses.
- Holder of the Small Business Charter.

Charlie Vinall

"I applied for the PepsiCo summer internship programme and, after the assessment centre, was offered a place. After a successful summer with PepsiCo, I've now been offered a place on the fast-track training programme after I graduate. PepsiCo says that it took me on because of my unique degree, relevant but varied work experience and outgoing attitude."















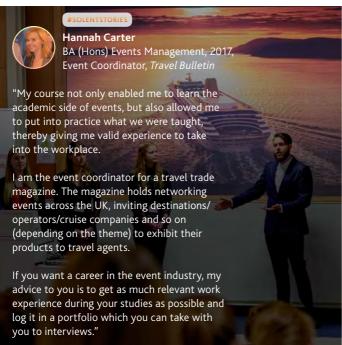
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Remi McDonald Accountancy and Finance, 2016

"At Solent we learnt real-world skills that aren't usually taught in the classroom. which prepare you for finding employment and after graduation."



Course	UCAS tariff	Variants available*	Course page and UCAS code
BA (Hons) Accountancy and Finance	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/AAF1
BA (Hons) Business Management	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/N200
BA (Hons) Event Management	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/VM01
BA (Hons) Festival Management	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/FSM1





P - Placement year







State-of-the-art usability and networking labs.

A dedicated VR suite, green-screen and motion-capture facilities.

Computing courses accredited by the Chartered Institute for IT (BCS).

Part of the Southern Independent Games Network (SIGN), the Sony Developers Network and an official Unreal Academic Partner

The opportunity to study for the Cisco and Microsoft certification schemes alongside your studies.

Southampton is in the top ten UK clusters for digital growth.

Melody Cuthbertson

BA (Hons) Computer and Video Games (now called BA (Hons) Computer Games (Art)), 2014, Associate Producer, Climax Studios

"My biggest achievement has been working on dream titles like Forza Horizon 3 and Disney Infinity 3.0 (even participating in a meeting with those behind *Finding Nemo*), while also being invited by Apple to attend as part of a panel for the Apple 2018 keynote in London.

I honestly wouldn't be where I am if it weren't for the lecturers that I had during my time at university, and as such, I am always grateful to them."















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David Iones

BSc (Hons) Business Information Business Intelligence Developer, Greencore Group Plc

"I changed massively over the three years at Solent. I came to university from the deepest, darkest parts of Surrey and, having never lived on my own before, it was an initial shock to the system, but the most liberating experience of my life.

My studies helped me develop the ability to pick up skills and knowledge fast and apply them in a professional environment. I enjoy the fact that every day I get to apply what I learnt at university to help the business make choices through intelligent, data-led decisions."

Course	UCAS tariff	Variants available*	Course page and UCAS code
BA (Hons) Animation	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/W615
BA (Hons) Computer Games (Art)	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/G450
BA (Hons) Computer Games (Design)	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/ID60
BSc (Hons) Computer Games Technology	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/CGT1
BA (Hons) Computer Generated Imagery	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/I710
BSc (Hons) Computer Systems and Networks Engineering	96	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/CSN1
BSc (Hons) Computing	96	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/C001
BSc (Hons) Cyber Security Management	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/CSM1
BA (Hons) Digital Animation	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/086A
BSc (Hons) Digital Design and Web Development	96	F	www.solent.ac.uk/DDW1
BSc (Hons) Software Engineering	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/SE01









- 3D printing equipment, laser-cutters and other rapid prototyping and non-destructive testing kit.
- Specialist equipment such as PSpice/NI Multisim software and microcomputer and microcontroller development systems, digital multi-metre signal generators, FLIR cameras and digital signal processing (DSP) boards.
- Dedicated labs for applied mechanics, materials, electronic engineering, manufacturing and robotics.
- A specialist stability testing tank, and a 60-metre hydrodynamic testing tank with computer-controlled wave generator for testing boat designs.

Alex Lee

RINA, BAE Systems and IMarEST. "This led to my employment at Laurent Giles Naval Architects," Alex said, "where I complete preliminary design work, 3D modelling and production drawings for large yachts and superyachts."

His time at Solent University really helped prepare him for work in the real world. "The yacht engineering courses at Solent provide you with the knowledge and software familiarity required to step into the industry and continue your professional development.

"Going into the supervacht industry, I have been equipped to deal with a range of tasks, from preliminary design to production drawings for boats almost ten times the length of my dissertation!"

Alex's favourite memory? "Taking part in the model yacht race at the end of the first year. I loved designing and manufacturing my model, but seeing it race was fantastic. One of the best things about this line of work is seeing something you design come to fruition."

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losh Bowen BEng (Hons) Electronic Engineering,

"I have seen a lot of universities where academic standing and research have a much higher priority than students' studies. But Solent has it right, with industry-focused courses and lecturers with diverse working backgrounds and experience.

I felt confident that what I was learning would give me a good starting point in my career, which it has. The staff were extremely accommodating and easy to talk to, making Solent University a very comfortable learning environment."













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BEng (Hons) Electronic Engineering	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/H610
BSc (Hons) Engineering Design and Manufacture	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/H1H7
BEng (Hons) Future Transport Engineering	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/FTE1
BEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/H303
BEng (Hons) Renewable Energy Engineering	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/HH80
BEng (Hons) Yacht and Powercraft Design	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/H522
BEng (Hons) Yacht Design and Production	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/21B6



Nadia Lele BEng (Hons) Yacht and Powercraft Design, 2017, Structural Engineer, Olesinski Naval Architects

"The course absolutely met the demands of the modern yachting and shipbuilding industry. The access to the towing and stability tanks, FRP workshop and CAD room was vital. Group projects are also industry-driven, and reflect real company dynamics. Plus the lecturers have a huge amount of experience, which inspires you a lot, and they make clear how the industry works. By the end of the course I was a bit of everything

- naval architect, structural engineer and stylist. It was a hard choice what to do next.

In my second year I represented Solent University at the London Boat Show and won work experience at Olesinski Naval Architects in the Young Designer Competition held by Superyacht UK and British Marine. Now I work in the company as a structural engineer."



ENGLISH AND JOURNALISM There's always a place for a well-turned phrase. You've got a talent for compelling copy – and if you're quick to spot a story or you're a natural communicator, all kinds of careers can open up for you. Across every industry and across the world, ambitious, fast-thinking people like you are the driving force of modern life.





Multi-million-pound media complex, including a fully equipped newsroom.



Ranked ninth in the 2020 Guardian University Guide for English and Creative Writing.



Journalism graduates working at Sky, ITV, the BBC, Universal Music and other leading global organisations.



Diverse opportunities for real-world experience at our in-house creative agency, publishing house and video production company.



Chance to learn from professionals through guest lectures and industry events.



Many courses professionally accredited or recognised.

loshua Iones

BA (Hons) English and Media student

"You are encouraged to share your views, no matter how outlandish or far-fetched you may think they are. You are encouraged to push yourself and to learn new ways of reading literature, and typically discuss topics such as feminism, sexuality and existentialism, to name a few. The course has helped me gain confidence and find my voice, think differently and experiment in terms of creative writing and expression."







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Kenzie Benali

BA (Hons) Multimedia Journalism, 2016, BBC presenter

"I absolutely loved the course because I genuinely felt that I was getting one step closer to my dream job, while meeting some amazing people and getting some really useful contacts."

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Daniel Sheldon

BA (Hons) Sport Journalism, 2018, freelance journalist

"University helped me prepare for my career by giving me the platform to go out and get real-life work experience. Not only that, the lecturers on the course have a plethora of contacts who they are more than happy to let you use. Because of these contacts, I managed to get myself freelancing opportunities at M & Y News Agency. To be reporting on Premier League games before the start of my final year at Solent is something that I am immensely proud of."

Course	UCAS tariff	Variants available*	Course page and UCAS code
BA (Hons) English and Creative Writing	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/372S
BA (Hons) English and Film	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/QP33
BA (Hons) English and Media	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/QP3H
BA (Hons) Fashion Journalism	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/FJ01
BA (Hons) Journalism	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/JO01
BA (Hons) Sports Journalism	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/SJ01



Angela Barnes

BA (Hons) Multimedia Journalism, 2008, Sky News reporter, producer and presenter

"This course provided an excellent foundation at the start of my career, and helped me make a confident transition into a real newsroom. The wide range of multi-platform skills allowed me to pursue different journalistic paths, starting in print, moving to digital, then to TV.

I started freelancing for the *Daily Echo*; and at the *Evening Standard* I achieved my first national front-page byline. Upon graduation, I was accepted onto Sky News' three-week internship, a very competitive placement to get.

Make the most of the University's facilities – film, shoot and edit original reports, practise in the studio and with the kit. Build a portfolio of work. And apply for placements and start freelancing as soon as possible!"









Fully equipped fashion studios with design, machining facilities for fashion garment production and pattern-cutting.



The University's multi-million-pound media academy gives you access to 11 professional photography studios, a fully equipped infinity cove and a range of make-up and hair design spaces.



The chance to showcase your final-year collection at the Solent Graduate Fashion Show.



Re:So. our student-run retail store. offers the opportunity to gain vital work experience and the chance to sell your creative work on the high street.



Opportunities to attend guest lectures by key players in the fashion industry past speakers have included Terry Barber (MAC Cosmetics), Caryn Franklin (TV presenter and i-D editor), Debra Bourne (PR consultant and campaigner), Alex Brownless (Artsthread), Pablo Rodriguez (Illamasqua), Ateh Jewel and Paddy Hartley (artist and designer for Nick Knight and Lady Gaga).

Ellis-Paige Richardson and Creative Direction, 2017. freelance make-up artist

"The best bit of the course is definitely the third year when you have a say in what the final outcome of your assignments is, as it allows you to push yourself creatively to achieve the best work before going into the industry after graduation."























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Jess Maidwell

"Fashion media is the course I didn't know I needed to join! It covers such a diverse range of topics – such as forecasting and PR/branding, journalistic writing, photography, art direction and photography and makes every single student ready for an industry that is constantly changing and demanding more of graduates, whatever career path they decide to take. I honestly cannot recommend this course enough!"

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BA (Hons) Beauty Promotion	96	F	www.solent.ac.uk/BP01
BA (Hons) Fashion	96	F	www.solent.ac.uk/F001
BA (Hons) Fashion Buying and Merchandising	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/FB01
BA (Hons) Fashion Graphics	96	F	www.solent.ac.uk/FG01
BA (Hons) Fashion Management with Marketing	96	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/FMM1
BA (Hons) Fashion Media	96	F	www.solent.ac.uk/FM01
BA (Hons) Fashion Photography	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/FPH1
BA (Hons) Fashion Promotion and Communication	96	F	www.solent.ac.uk/FPC1
BA (Hons) Fashion Styling and Creative Direction	96	F	www.solent.ac.uk/FSC1
BA (Hons) Make-up and Hair Design	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/MHD1



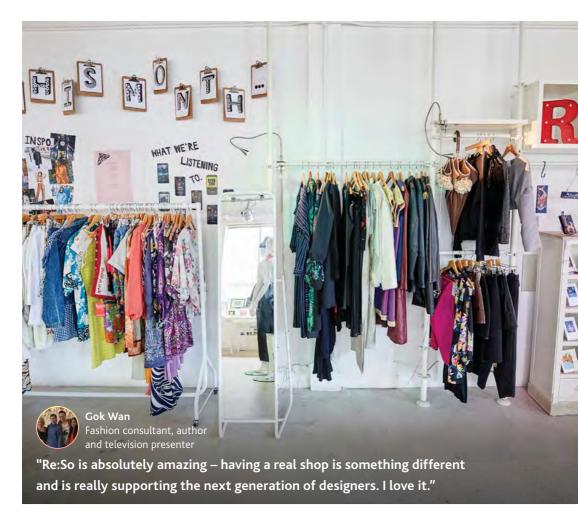
Sophie MahmudBA (Hons) Fashion Graphics, 2017,
Fashion and Graphic Designer, Tikiboo

"This course is great if you are creative but are unsure what area of the fashion industry you want to go into. You work on designing magazines, digital graphics, branding, illustration, print design and so much more. The tutors are so supportive and really want you to be successful.

We have amazing employability on this course, and many students work in the fashion industry before they even graduate. I'm now a designer for a leisurewear brand that is winning awards for its print designs – I'd never have believed I'd have such an exciting and successful career when I started uni."

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RE:SO

Launched in 2012, our innovative Re:So store was the first entirely student-run retail initiative in a UK shopping centre, selling a unique mix of fashion, accessories, publications, furniture and art produced by the University's creative students and graduates.





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Fashion promotion graduate Gemma Aspland said: "I'm really excited to showcase my brand in Southampton. It's an amazing opportunity to be able to gain experience in a very difficult industry, and for graduates to expose their brands to a wider audience."

Re:So is located in Southampton's Marlands shopping centre where it provides students and graduates with somewhere to learn, gain valuable work experience, and showcase and sell their designs in a live retail environment.



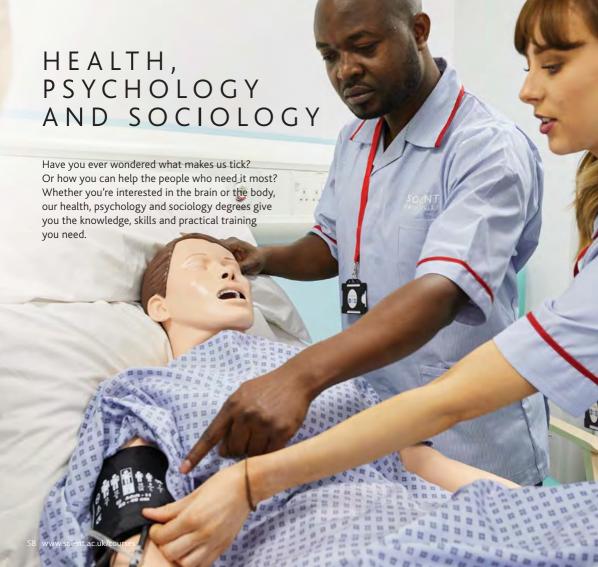




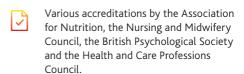


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- Bespoke biomedical science labs and a realworld training centre for nursing.
- Professional-quality equipment psychophysiological recording, eye-tracking and experimental cubicles.
- Dedicated psychology and nutrition labs.
- Food garden for nutrition students, offering ten raised beds for students to grow fruit, vegetables and herbs on campus.

Eloise Prowting

"Solent provided me with so much information advice, and also with my assignments. My course helped me understand about child development and I find myself using methods I learnt about at university in my work now.

I have just finished a master's in psychology and learning disability and am hoping to apply for a doctorate in educational psychology this autumn. I am currently working as a speech and language support assistant in a school, where I support children with complex academic needs and assist them in accessing the curriculum. I was employed in this job in the October after graduation – my employer was very impressed with the knowledge that I had learnt at university, and was also interested in my research project.

I have also recently returned from teaching English to a local community in Bali, which I would not have been able to do as successfully without the knowledge that I learnt on my course. The highlight of my career so far is getting my job at the school, because I have been able to put my knowledge into practice, but I have also developed that knowledge from first-hand experience."















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BSc (Hons) Adult Nursing Practice	96-112	-	www.solent.ac.uk/ANP1
BSc (Hons) Applied Human Nutrition	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/BB40
BSc (Hons) Biomedical Science	96-112	-	www.solent.ac.uk/BS01
BSc (Hons) Health, Nutrition and Exercise Science	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/CC60
MSci Mental Health and Psychological Wellbeing	128	F, I	www.solent.ac.uk/CC84
BSc (Hons) Mental Health Nursing	*	-	www.solent.ac.uk/MHN1
BSc (Hons) Psychology	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/C800
BSc (Hons) Psychology (Child Development and Education)	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/CC80
BSc (Hons) Psychology (Counselling and Mental Health)	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/CC88
BSc (Hons) Psychology (Forensic and Psychopathology)	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/C80C
BSc (Hons) Psychology and Sociology	*	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/PAS1
BA (Hons) Social Work	96-112	-	www.solent.ac.uk/L501
BA (Hons) Sociology	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/S001



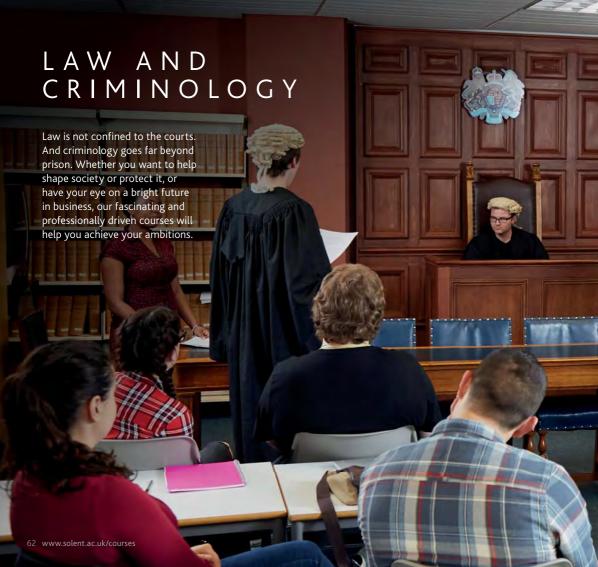
#SOLENTSTORIES Bianca Barrie

Nursing Associate Apprentice

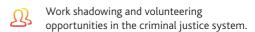
"My experience as an apprentice has been really good. I'd definitely recommend this route to others as it's a brilliant stepping stone to get into healthcare environments, and the lecturers have such a high level of experience.

Solent's facilities are brilliant for students who have never been in a ward environment – you're able to learn on simulation practice dolls, and learn from situations you will encounter in real life."

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Regular optional study visits, including to US criminal justice agencies.

Mock courtroom on campus for building practical experience and honing your debate skills

A founding member of the Southampton City Law Network.

The UK legal sector is worth £29 billion. 俞 (Source: The Law Society)

Ellis Sweetenham LLB (Hons) Law, 2016, Trainee Solicitor. Lawdit Solicitors

"Not only did my time at Solent teach me the finer details of the law, which enabled me to navigate the path I wanted to take, but it also created a good foundation of core skills – such as timekeeping, maintaining deadlines and professional communication – which are essential to be a solicitor."















Ellie Monger BA (Hons) Criminology, 2019

"My lecturers have been brilliant; quite a few come from a policing or law-based background, so they could provide context to what they were teaching us. Their support helped push me to do the best that I could, and I'm really grateful for it."



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BSc (Hons) Criminal Investigation with Forensic Psychology	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/CIP1
BA (Hons) Criminology	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/M930
BSc (Hons) Criminology and Psychology	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/CAP1
LLB (Hons) Law	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/M100



Michael Coyle Solent alumnus and honorary Doctor of Law, Director of Lawdit Solicitors

Michael formed Lawdit back in 2001 to offer specialist services in intellectual property and IT law. Since then Michael and Lawdit have represented clients in the courts of England and Wales, as well as giving aspiring solicitors from Solent University a platform from which to learn, train and qualify as solicitors.

He qualified as a solicitor in 1997 and in 1998 undertook the LLM in intellectual property at Solent while working in private practice in the city, before qualifying as a solicitor advocate in 2003.

But he has not forgotten his time as a student at Solent – he and his firm continue to support the University through lecturing and working with our students in practice workshops.

Speaking at his acceptance of Solent's honorary doctorate, Michael said: "We encourage people to not forget where you have come from on your journey to becoming valued members of the law profession, but also valued members of society."



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We run one of the world's top maritime training centres, with over 70 years' experience of delivering internationally recognised education and training to the maritime industry.

Alumni and strong connections throughout the maritime world, providing networking and employment opportunities.

Home to a world-leading new simulation centre, with cutting-edge simulators for bridge officers, engineering, crane and tug operations, communications and more.

Potential for field trips to the ports of Southampton, Rotterdam and Antwerp.

Home to cutting-edge maritime research into everything from sea traffic management to effective crewing strategies.

Brand new high-tech campuses for deck and engineering education.



Located in northern Europe's biggest cruise hub and the UK's biggest export port.









Emma Jarmen

FdEng Marine Engineering cadet

"I became a cadet because I wanted to try something different – I didn't want the normal nine-to-five job. I enjoy the training because it's hands-on; it's in the field, like an apprenticeship at sea. And you've got guys there to support you and help you through everything – they've done exactly the same course so they know what you're going through and how they can help you and get the best out of you. You could go anywhere in the marine industry with this sort of qualification."

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Josh Payne

BSc (Hons) Maritime Business, 2015

"The BSc (Hons) Maritime Business degree is for you if you want a course that looks at the whole industry and the different sectors within it. You're sure to make a lot of great friends who, when you leave, become superb industry contacts."









Course	UCAS tariff	Variants available**	Course page and UCAS code
FdEng Marine Engineering	*	-	www.solent.ac.uk/MarineEng
FdEng Marine Electro-Technical Officers (METO)	*	-	www.solent.ac.uk/METO
FdSc Marine Operations	*	-	www.solent.ac.uk/MarineOps
BSc (Hons) Maritime Business	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/N900
BSc (Hons) Maritime Law and Business	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/MLB1
BSc (Hons) Shipping and Port Management	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/3GAL



Henrik Sollie Klokk

BSc (Hons) Maritime Business, 2017

"This course is for you if you wish to pursue a highly international and multicultural career that few other industries can offer.

From weather routing to financial analysis, you are provided with crucial knowledge. The University creates assignments similar to real industry situations and challenges, giving you a 'handson' experience which definitely prepares you for a career in maritime.

One of my best Solent memories was our trip to Antwerp and Rotterdam, where we got to visit the huge port facilities which show the importance of seaborne trade.

I do not believe I would have been called to interview at many of the companies I applied to if it was not for my internships and extra-curricular activities at the University – now I am employed by one of the largest dry bulk and tanker owners in the world!"

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Solent students and graduates have won awards from YCN, D&AD and other creative organisations.



Real-world experience opportunities at our in-house creative agency, Solent Creatives, and video production company, Solent Productions.



The only UK university involved in the International Marketing and Intensive Project networks – giving you the chance to visit and work alongside students from six European universities on live marketing and advertising projects.



The opportunity to study for professional qualifications alongside your degree, including from the Chartered Institute of Marketing (CIM) and the Institute of Direct and Digital Marketing (IDM), professional qualifications in project management, Adobe Creative Suite certification and Target Group Index (TGI) certification.



Our courses are developed in close collaboration with industry.

Laura Bradley

"From day one we were working with live clients, learning skills to utilise in the workplace, and being encouraged to get out into the industry and get experience."













Course	UCAS tariff	Variants available*	Course page and UCAS code
BA (Hons) Marketing	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/M001
BA (Hons) Marketing with Advertising	96-112	-	www.solent.ac.uk/MWA1
BA (Hons) Marketing with Sport	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/MWS1
BA (Hons) Public Relations and Communication Management	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/PRC1



*SOLENTSTORIES Charlotte Holmes BA (Hons) Marketing, 2018, Marketing and Recruitment Officer, Isle of Wight Council

"You will gain an understanding of the influences that affect a sale and learn how businesses

sale and learn how businesses adapt to meet the needs of their market.

When I applied for university, I was still uncertain what path I would choose, and even had my applications for apprenticeships all lined up — I am the type of person who engages better in a practical environment.

Solent Creatives really helped me make the decision — with the opportunity to work on live client briefs, I was able to test my own abilities and put theory into practice.

The units during the marketing course allowed me to be graded upon these experiences, providing me with the power to tailor the degree around my own learning style and preferences.

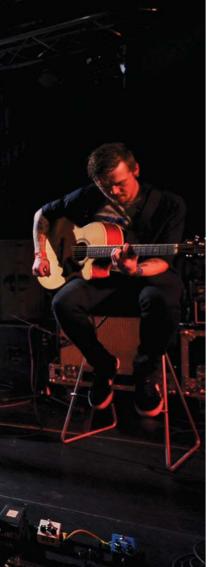
The highlight of my time at Solent was being part of a digital fundraising campaign which was successful in raising £1,000. Our team created the campaign 'Paws4Bagdad' from scratch, forming a brand image and concept, and reaching an audience."

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MUSIC



Our music courses were voted seventh in the UK in the 2018 National Student Survey.



We are a Music Academic Partner of UK Music. an Educational Associate of the Music Managers Forum and a member of Creative & Cultural Skills.



Extensive industry links and regular studio masterclasses.



Work experience opportunities at high-profile events.



A rehearsal and performance space and recording studios in our state-of-the-art media academy.



Strong connections to Southampton's vibrant local music scene.



Learn from an enthusiastic and dedicated team of professional producers, composers, musicians, sound engineers and DJs with a wealth of industry experience.

PERFORMANCE



Solent is one of only two UK institutions to offer the Perdekamp emotional method.



A variety of rehearsal spaces, including rehearsal rooms and a dance studio with sprung floor, as well as an additional 200-seat flexi-form space on campus, which can be used for live performances.







Amelia Hall

"We were given ample information from day one about what the acting industry is like, and how we should go about networking and making a name for ourselves. We were given help with branding and marketing our strengths in the best way possible to succeed. Being taught about the production side of the industry also made it easier, when entering the acting world, to relate to the person behind the camera or backstage."

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Miles Hobbs

BA (Hons) Popular Music Performance and Production, 2019

"I was so surprised by the sheer amount of paid performance opportunities that were thrown at you. The lecturers genuinely want you to succeed in becoming a full-time musician or artist."









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Course	UCAS tariff	Variants available*	Course page and UCAS code
BA (Hons) Acting and Performance	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/WW47
BA (Hons) Digital Music	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/DM01
BA (Hons) Musical Theatre	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/WW31
BA (Hons) Music Business	96-112	-	www.solent.ac.uk/MB01
BMus (Hons) Popular Music Performance	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/PMP1
BA (Hons) Popular Music Performance and Production	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/MPP1
BSc (Hons) Popular Music Production	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/MP01



Rachel Lloyd BA (Hons) Music Promotion, 2016, Communications Executive, The O2

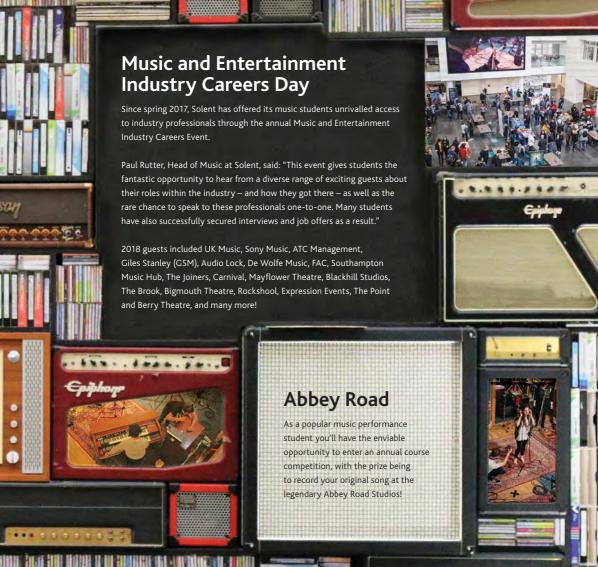
"The music courses offered at Solent were more varied in content than anything else I'd seen. I liked the fact that all the music courses intertwined, so not only were you learning about the industry as a whole, but you'd be doing so alongside those interested in different areas. Solent's location was also appealing, being right in the heart of Southampton and close to all the venues.

I'm currently a communications executive at The O2 where I cover internal and external communications. I engage with the press and work on PR for shows and other AEG-related activities, as well as a whole host of other stuff — communications is a gold mine for random projects!"



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Accredited courses recognised by professional bodies and associations.



Specialist sport science labs, including a BASES-accredited physiology lab.



NGB coaching awards, REPs registration and other qualifications available alongside your studies.



High-performance support for elite student athletes.



Great opportunities for work experience, including working in community, school and high-performance environments.







Kerry Lines

BSc (Hons) Fitness and Personal Training, 2018

"Every day was so different, which is what made it so interesting and engaging: one day you could have hours of practical in the gym or the therapy suite, getting hands-on with clients; the next day you were in a lecture discovering how to build your own training business. The mix of both practical and academic gave you experience, while the knowledge you were gaining put you above people within the same career without a degree.

This course is for you if you want to get hands-on experience training real clients and make a difference through exercise."

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Demi Watts

"The best thing about my course was the practical element – studying sport meant I could try out session plans and practise coaching on my peers – but also the unique partnership with the Saints Foundation in the first year meant we got real coaching experience.

Our lecturing team was really experienced – they not only had knowledge of their subject area, but also a wide range of experience in the community. This meant that they had the contacts to help with getting work experience through a range of organisations in the Southampton area."







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BA (Hons) Adventure and Outdoor Management	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/N809
BSc (Hons) Applied Sport Science	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/ASS1
BSc (Hons) Fitness and Personal Training	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/FPT1
BA (Hons) Fitness Management	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/FIM1
BA (Hons) Football Business Management	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/FBM1
MSci Football Science	128	1	www.solent.ac.uk/MFS7
BA (Hons) Football Studies	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/FS01
BA (Hons) Physical Education	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/PE01
BSc (Hons) Sport and Exercise Psychology	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/SEP1
BSc (Hons) Sport and Exercise Therapy	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/C630
BA (Hons) Sport Coaching and Sport Development	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/SCD1
BA (Hons) Sport Management	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/SM01
BSc (Hons) Sport Performance Coaching	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/SPC1



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The travel and tourism industry is changing fast. From the effect of the internet and digital solutions to an increasing awareness of the impact of tourism on local cultures and the environment, it's a rapidly modernising world – meaning there are plenty of opportunities to carve out a great career.







Recent graduates have gone on to work for Carnival UK, Mary Rose Trust, Royal Caribbean, Regent Seven Seas Cruises and Thomson Cruises.



Direct access to the largest cruise port in northern Europe, with over four million visitors a year.



Local links to Southampton's international airport, cruise giant Carnival, and more.



Optional field trips and embedded opportunities to study abroad at a partner university, developing your first-hand international experience.

Iulia Wolf

BA (Hons) International Tourism Management, 2016, Marketing Assistant, Regent Seven Seas Cruises

"My course provided a wide range of employability skills that not only helped me get my degree, but also helped me achieve my career goals. Tourism to me is a world of endless opportunities, fun and passion. For anyone to succeed, my advice is to be proactive and willing to go the extra mile. Keep a positive attitude – working in tourism can be very challenging, but also extremely rewarding! One of my favourite memories is the first day of final year when everyone came back from work placements and years abroad excited to share their stories with everyone else."

















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Graeme Bell BA (Hons) International Tourism Management student

"The staff are friendly, the course is well taught and I know it will get me where I want to be "

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BA (Hons) Event Management	96-112	F, P	
BA (Hons) Festival Management	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/FSM1
BSc (Hons) International Airline and Airport Management	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/IAM1
BSc (Hons) International Travel and Tourism Management	96-112	F.P	www.solent.ac.uk/ITT1

Joanna Rewolinska

BA (Hons) International Tourism Management, 2011

"The course is a three-year degree with a strong business element and up-to-date tourism sector information, and has given me the opportunity to keep abreast of the latest issues around the world

All the units were very practical in nature, and experienced, friendly and approachable teaching staff helped me develop and expand my communication and presentation skills. Furthermore, I was taught to use important research tools such as university libraries, online databases and peer-reviewed journals, as well as how to distinguish legitimate from faulty information.

As a part of the degree I spent the second academic year studying in Spain, which expanded my horizons, introduced me to new cultures of other exchange students, and broadened my knowledge about other countries.

I would like to say that my course at Solent University was a wonderful journey and a good experience."



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Our students have worked at the Glastonbury Festival for over ten years, filming, interviewing stars and working behind the scenes to provide content for international media agencies such as the BBC.



Solent had the highest student satisfaction scores for television production (NSS, 2019).



An industry-standard HD outside broadcast vehicle, working the summer festival circuit.



An on-campus, student-run cinema featuring cutting-edge Dolby Atmos audio.



ScreenSkills-accredited courses offering first-class, industry-recognised education.



We have three HD film and TV studios. a dedicated media academy and specialist studios for green-screen, animation and more.



A specialist hemi-anechoic chamber and acoustic equipment.



Award-winning student programming on our Solent TV web channel.







Kath Grav

"I left uni and started working for NEP UK as a multi-skilled operator on programmes like *The Magaluf* Weekender and Big Brother. Six months later. I became a trainee vision engineer, and have worked my way up over the last few years to become a guarantee broadcast engineer. Now I regularly operate as the engineerin-charge on a variety of projects, including Sky's football coverage and ITV's Love Island

My advice to someone wanting to get into this industry is to ask lots of questions! If you show you're keen to learn, engineers will impart as much information to you as possible. The more they teach you, the more pressure you can take off them, so that they can leave you to get on with tasks which they then don't have to do."

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Iamal Watts

BA (Hons) Television and Video Production, 2016, freelance camera operator, Arsenal FC

"My tutors were fantastic. They were always happy to help with any issues I needed advice on, whether it was class work or external projects. I'd like to think that I've become more focused and disciplined during my time at university. It is a place to have fun, but you have to get the balance between work and play right. This is something I've taken with me to my job – the same focus, determination and ability to prioritise."









Course	UCAS tariff	Variants available*	Course page and UCAS code
BEng (Hons) Acoustic and Audio Engineering	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/AA01
BA (Hons) Film	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/W610
BA (Hons) Film and Television	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/P303
BA (Hons) Film Production	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/313P
BA (Hons) Film Visual Effects	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/WW65
BSc (Hons) Live Event Technology	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/LET1
BEng (Hons) Media Engineering	96-112	F, P	www.solent.ac.uk/ME01
BA (Hons) Media Production	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/P310
BA (Hons) Post-Production for Film and Television	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/PPF1
BA (Hons) Television Production	96-112	F	www.solent.ac.uk/TP01



* F – Foundation year (p98) P – Placement year

APPRENTICESHIPS

Higher and degree apprenticeships offer the best of both worlds – you'll learn from your employer's expertise, developing the skills, knowledge and working habits of a practising professional, and graduate with an industry-accredited academic qualification such as an HNC, HND, degree or master's.

BENEFITS OF APPRENTICESHIPS

- Earn as you learn.
- Fees paid by your employer (often using government funding).
- · A guaranteed job while you study.
- The chance to gain professional accreditation and membership.
- Upon completion, 77 per cent of apprentices stay with the same employer (Source: gov.uk).

SOLENT OFFERS A RANGE OF APPRENTICESHIP ROUTES IN:

- · Leadership and management
- · Health and social care
- Construction and the built environment
- Engineering
- · Digital, technology and computing

FIND OUT MORE

Visit www.solent.ac.uk/apprenticeships









ALTERNATIVE ROUTES INTO UNI

Not everyone goes straight from college to university. There are plenty of alternative routes into higher education, from mature students to part-time study and Solent offers plenty of support.

MATURE STUDENTS

One in five undergraduates at Solent is a mature student - so we've got a lot of experience with your unique challenges. That's why we offer specialised help with academic skills and balancing work, study and family commitments.

Still not sure? Come along to one of our open days, where a mature student ambassador will be happy to talk to you about life at Solent.

#SOLENTSTORIES Iulia Haizelden BSc (Hons) Construction Management, 2019, Design Manager, Kier Group "Studying part-time and working full-time enabled me to transfer what I'd learnt at university into my daily role. I was also able to use my knowledge and understanding of the construction industry to help with my assignments. The University is mindful that studying part-time and working full-time is challenging. It supports and accommodates this by listening to feedback, ensuring any additional support is available and making members of staff accessible outside of lectures to meet up and provide assistance."

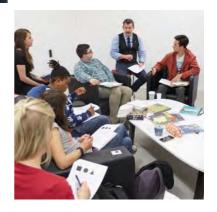
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We accept a wide range of qualifications – and we recognise the value of practical professional experience, too. So if you've got BTECs, AQAs, professional qualifications or simply years of experience, you may still be able to study at Solent. Plus our apprenticeships or foundation courses could be the perfect introduction to university-level study – see pages 92 or 98 for more.

PART-TIME

Are you eager to study but not sure how you're going to fit it in? Whatever your situation, we will always try to find something suitable for you. We offer plenty of options – work-based learning, online learning, single-day or block weekend study.

To find out what's available for your course, visit www.solent.ac.uk/courses - or to apply for parttime study, contact our admissions office direct at admissions@solent.ac.uk







WHY SOLENT?

- Our top-up courses include many opportunities to gain real-world experience and to put your creative ideas into practice.
- You'll have the chance to work with real-world external. clients through our in-house agencies such as Solent Creatives and Solent Productions.
- Curriculum Plus units and professional qualifications - such as CIM, PRINCE2 and CISCO - are available.
- You'll have the opportunity to pitch your business idea and receive up to £2,000 in funding.

OUR TOP-UP COURSES

BSc (Hons) Accountancy and Finance (Top-up)

BSc (Hons) Business Administration (Top-up)

BA (Hons) Film and Television (Top-up)

BSc (Hons) International Construction, Design

and Sustainability (Top-up)

BSc (Hons) International Logistics Management (Top-up)

BEng (Hons) Marine Engineering and Management (Top-up)

BSc (Hons) Maritime Business and Law (Top-up)

BSc (Hons) Maritime Management (Top-up)

BSc (Hons) Marketing (Top-up)

BA (Hons) Media Production (Top-up)

BSc (Hons) Music Technology (Top-up)

BA (Hons) Post-Production (Top-up)

BA (Hons) Sport Coaching and Physical Education (Top-up)

Direct entry to the final year of some degree courses is also available: contact the admissions and enrolment team for further information.

Fmail: admissions@solent.ac.uk

Tel: 023 8201 5066





Spend a year building up essential study skills and a strong foundation of knowledge, before linking straight onto one of our specialist degrees the following year.

HOW TO APPLY

You apply for a foundation course through UCAS, just like any other course, choosing the degree you're interested in.

But when you apply, select the four-year foundation (Fdn) variant – one year for the foundation course, three years for the undergraduate degree.

To find out more, visit www.solent.ac.uk/fdy

COURSES AVAILABLE

Business Foundation Year Computing Foundation Year Design Foundation Year Event and Tourism Foundation Year Football Foundation Year Foundation in Journalism, Advertising and Marketing Foundation Year in Digital Arts Foundation Year in Media Foundation Year in Popular Music Law and Criminology Foundation Year Media Technology Foundation Year Performance Foundation Year Science and Engineering Foundation Year Social Sciences Foundation Year Sport Foundation Year Sport, Health and Exercise Science Foundation Year

HOW TO FIND US

BY ROAD

Southampton is just 75 miles from London.

- From the north, London and the home counties: the M3, M27 and A34 provide fast, direct road links to the city.
- From the west: the M4/A34 and the A36 are the major routes from the West Country, Bristol and Wales.
- From the east: follow the A27/M27 and leave at Junction 8.

The University's postcode is SO14 0YN.

Parking

As a city-centre university, there is little parking on campus, but there are plenty of car parks close by. A map can be found at www.southampton.gov.uk/roads-parking/parking

BY RAIL

The closest train station is Southampton Central. From London, take the regular train service from London Waterloo station.

BY COACH

National Express and Megabus both provide regular services to Southampton.



For more information and downloadable maps (including our accessibility map), visit



By using carbon-balanced paper for this prospectus, Solent University has balanced the equivalent of 5,262kg of carbon dioxide through World Land Trust – enabling them to protect 3,683m² of critically threatened tropical forest.



ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY

Solent is committed to social justice – and as part of that commitment, we recognise the important role we have to play in promoting sustainability and improving the quality of the environment for students, staff and the wider community.



TREES

The University has saved roughly 240 trees by printing this mini-guide in place of a full prospectus.



ELECTRICITY

100% from renewable sources such as wind, solar and hydro generation.



LIGHTING

Movement sensor low-energy lighting in lecture theatres, library and corridors.



SOLAR PANELS

Solar photovoltaic (PV) panels are installed on the Spark building, our new sports complex and at the Timsbury site.



WATER

Reduced water use, thanks to an online service providing continuous remote monitoring and leak detection.



CARBON MANAGEMENT

Working towards a 33% carbon reduction target.



STUDENT SWITCH-OFF

Since 2016, 1,239 students have taken part. This has saved 294,994kwH of electricity – the equivalent of boiling 9.2 million cups of tea – avoiding 142 tonnes of CO₂, the same weight as 1,420 baby elephants.



AWARDS

Awarded EcoCampus Platinum and ISO14001:2015 in March 2019 for our environmental management system.



FAIRTRADE

Fairtrade products are available for sale in all campus shops, and Fairtrade foods are used in all cafes, restaurants and bars on campus.



BUILDINGS

Major new building developments have been constructed to achieve the 'BREEAM Excellent' environmental standard.



WILDFLOWER MEADOW

Our wildflower meadow won Highly Commended in the national Bees Needs Awards, for providing food and habitat for pollinating insects.

OUR COURSES

ART AND DESIGN	
BUSINESS AND FINANCE	
COMPUTING AND GAMES	
ENGINEERING	
ENGLISH AND JOURNALISM	4
FASHION	5
HEALTH, PSYCHOLOGY AND SOCIOLOGY	5
LAW AND CRIMINOLOGY	6
MARITIME	6
MARKETING, COMMUNICATIONS AND PUBLIC RELATIONS	7
MUSIC AND PERFORMANCE	7
SPORT AND FITNESS	8
TRAVEL AND TOURISM	8
TV, FILM, MEDIA PRODUCTION	

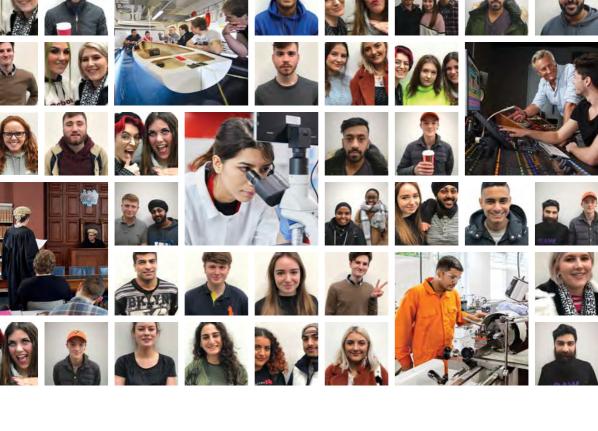
DISCLAIMER

Every effort is made to ensure that the information given in this mini-guide is correct at the time of publication and that the course information accurately describes the courses offered by the University.

However, from time to time details change; you should contact the University to verify information, especially if you wish to place particular reliance upon it prior to accepting an offer.

For detailed course information, please visit the course pages on our website: www.solent.ac.uk/courses

The University's terms and conditions can be viewed on our website – please visit: www.solent.ac.uk/terms-and-conditions



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